

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : Jeffrey E. Habben, et al.
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**AMENDMENT, REQUEST AND FEE DELETING CORRECTLY
NAMED PERSON(S) WHO ARE NOT INVENTOR(S) OF INVENTION
NOW BEING CLAIMED -NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION-
37 CFR 1.48(b)**

1. This amendment and request under 37 CFR 1.48(b) is to delete the name(s) of the following persons named as inventors and who are not the inventor(s) of the invention now being claimed: Shane E. Abbitt and Xiaomu Niu.
2. Claim(s) Now on File

The claim(s) in this application are as follows:

(check and complete all applicable items)

- ☐ originally filed claim(s) .
- ☒ originally filed claim(s) 1-65, as amended on June 19, 2006, by response to the Restriction Requirement of May 17, 2006. Elected claims are 18-20, 23-37, and 44-54.
- ☐ claim(s) filed on .

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☐ claim(s) filed on , as amended on .

3. Status of Inventorship After Amendment

(check the following item if the inventor(s) remaining after the petition and amendment is accepted are not the inventor(s) of the subject matter of all the claim(s) now being claimed)

☐ Attached is an explanation of the facts, including the ownership of the claim(s) at the time the last claimed invention was made (Declaration of Inventorship and Common Ownership of Claims in Application).

4. Fee (37 CFR 1.17(i) - \$130.00)

The fee required is paid as follows:

☒ Authorization is hereby made to charge the amount of **\$130.00** to Deposit Account 16-1852.

☒ Charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment in the manner authorized above.

Respectfully submitted,

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